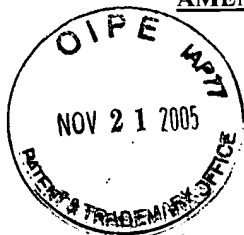


AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

CUSTOMER NO.: 29863
DELAND LAW OFFICE
P.O. Box 69
Klamath River, CA 96050-0069
(530) 465-2430



Atty. Docket No. SIC-04-002

DFW

In re application of: RYUICHIRO TAKAMOTO et al.

Application No. 10/708,497

Filed: March 8, 2004

Examiner: Max H. Noori

Group Art Unit: 2855

For: BICYCLE SHIFT CONTROL DEVICE WITH
DECREASED STRESS DURING SHIFTING

I hereby certify that this is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on November 15, 2005

By: *Elizabeth L. Deland*

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22131-1450

Commissioner:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ Enclosed is a petition to extend time to respond.

☐ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 with copies of cited foreign references.

☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503).

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	22	MINUS	21	1
INDEP.	1	MINUS	3	0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

SMALL ENTITY		OR	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
RATE	ADDIT. FEE		RATE	ADDIT. FEE
x25=	\$		1x50=	\$50
x100=	\$		x200=	\$
+180=	\$		+360=	\$
TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$		TOTAL	\$50

☐ No fee is due.

☒ Claims fee \$ 50

☐ Extension of time fee \$ _____

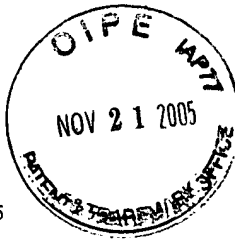
☐ IDS fee \$ _____

☒ Form PTO-2038 for \$ 50 is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
DELAND LAW OFFICE

James A. Deland
James A. Deland
Reg. No.: 31,242
Attorney for Applicant

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to:
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on November 15, 2005



PATENT

Attorney Docket No. SIC-04-002

By James A. Riley

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

RYUICHIRO TAKAMOTO, et al

Application No.: 10/708,497

Filed: March 8, 2004

For: BICYCLE SHIFT CONTROL DEVICE
WITH DECREASED STRESS
DURING SHIFTING

Examiner: Max H. Noori

Art Unit: 2855

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Commissioner:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2005. Kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

11/22/2005 ZJUHR1 00000045 10708497

01 FC:1202

50.00 OP